performance. SDS sedimentation volumes averaged approximately 50% that of HRWW of similar flour protein concentrations; gluten strength, as measured by the Mixograph, was markedly reduced, equivalent to that of Chinese Spring. Loss of quality is a direct consequence of the presence of the Glu-D1 null-allele from Nap Hal.

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PI 591821. Hordeum jubatum L.

Wild. DJ-4011; W6 10405. Collected 08/16/1989 in Russian Federation. Elevation 900 m. Heavily grazed valley. Near the 681km marker on Highway M-52 (15km S of Cheketeman camp) toward Aktash and parallel to the Katun River (Gorno Altay A.O.). Siberia. Awnless.

PI 591822. Hordeum jubatum L.

Wild. DJ-4024; W6 10407. Collected 08/19/1989 in Russian Federation. Elevation 1140 m. On a dry, rocky slope off a secondary gravel road. In the vicinity of the Tuetka camp, about 37km W of Tuetka, Gorno Altay A.O. Siberia. Awnless to mucronate.

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PI 591823. Hordeum vulgare L. ssp. vulgare

Cultivar. Pureline. "CHINOOK". CV-257. Pedigree - F18 single plant selection from Hector/Klages. Two-row, white kernel, midseason, full stature. Spikes mid-long, midlax, seminodding before maturity and nod at maturity. Spike awns rough. Glume awns equal in length to hair-covered glume. Kernels hulls adhering, finely wrinkled. Rachillas have long hairs. Higher yielding than Klages or Hector. Susceptible to effects of Russian wheat aphid (Diuraphis noxia), and shows limited tolerance to scald and net blotch.

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PI 591824. Panicum virgatum L.

Cultivar. Population. "SHAWNEE". Pedigree - One cycle of restricted, stratified, mass selection for forage yield and in vitro dry matter digestibility from Cave-in-Rock switchgrass. Upland, octaploid switchgrass. Improved forage quality as measured by in vitro dry matter digestibility (IVDMD) in comparison to Cave-in-Rock and improved forage